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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Rathbun et al.

Confirmation No.: 7370

Serial No.: 10/619,472

Art Unit: 3731

Filed: July 16, 2003

Examiner: Reip, David Owen

For: PLATING SYSTEM WITH
MULTIPLE FUNCTION
DRILL GUIDE

Attorney Docket No: 8932-767

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

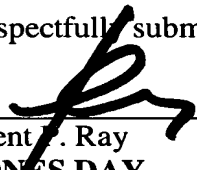
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated 8/18/05 be extended for a period of 1 month(s) from 11/18/05 to and including 12/19/05.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120 . Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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